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VEHICLE WHEEL INCLUDING SPOKE ATTACHMENT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action mailed December 27, 2002, for which a response is due with a three month extension of time (which Applicant hereby requests) on June 27, 2003, please amend the application as follows: